

# Blackfoot District #055

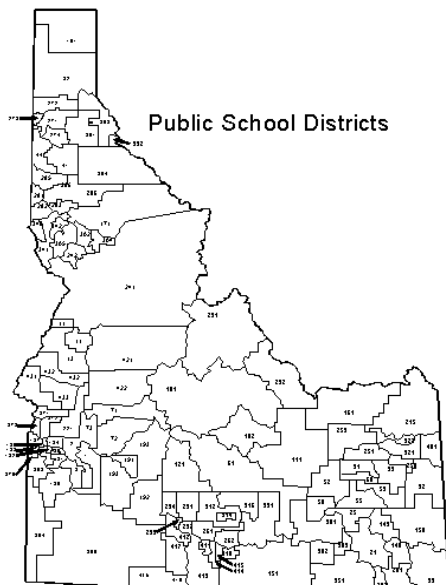
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## Public School Districts



## Superintendent's Highlights

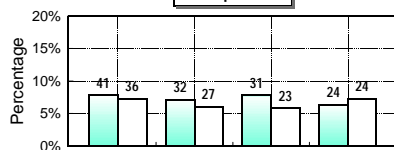
In partnership with Idaho State University and Jerome School District, a 5.5 million dollar grant was acquired for technology equipment, training, and development of statewide science and social studies units. A district level shared decision-making council was established. The district's commitment to provide a safe, drug-free, and disciplined environment was strengthened by implementing random testing of students in athletic programs. The district created a focus on improving reading skills by establishing a district/community reading committee to define and address the reading program in Grades K-3. By the end of June 1998, the district's policy manual will have been reviewed, revised, updated and brought into compliance with state laws and regulations and current practice.

## Student Profiles

### Ethnicity

Race	Male	Female	Total
White	37.19%	36.68%	73.87%
Black	0.19%	0.05%	0.24%
Hispanic	7.15%	6.76%	13.91%
Nat. Amer.	5.54%	5.21%	10.75%
Asian	0.51%	0.72%	1.23%
Total	50.58%	49.42%	100.00%

### Dropouts



Numbers in graph represent actual dropout counts per grade

## District Characteristics 1997-98

Fall Enrollment 1997-98	4,449	Special Education:	
Average Daily Attendance	4,150	Special Education Students	445
State Ranking per ADA	15	Gifted and Talented Students	87
Number of Schools (sites):		Number of LEP Students**	885
Elementary	9	National School Lunch Program:	
Secondary	5	% Average Daily Participation	58%
Number of Schools:		% Free and Reduced Meals	36%
Accredited	10	Average Lunch Price - Elementary	\$1.10
Accredited with Comment	0	Average Lunch Price - Secondary	\$1.35
Advised & Advised with Comment	0	Pupil Transportation Program:	
Warned	0	Average Daily Ridership 1996-97	2,560
High School Graduates:		Contracted Operation	
High School Diplomas-Regular	260	* Certificates of Completion issued at a district level	
Other Completions*	3	** Limited English Speaking (LEP)	

## Progress Towards Meeting District Goals

### 1997-98 Goals

### Progress

Create district-wide Shared Decision-Making council.	Has been established and is functioning at an entry level, along with six sub-committees called "Design Teams".
Research and study reading data and develop a plan to improve reading skill levels in Grades K-3.	A reading committee consisting of educators, parents and patrons has been created and is functioning.
Complete review and updating of the district policy manual to assure that it is in compliance with code and state regulations.	The district's policy manual has been revised, updated and is in compliance with state laws and regulations.
Hold district-wide forums on technology needs and growth.	The district's technology program was given a big boost with the acquiring of a federal grant in partnership with Idaho State University and the Jerome School District.

## Financial Information 1997-98

	M & O Fund	%	All Funds	%
<b>Revenues:</b>				
Local Taxes	\$2,138,821	11.36%	\$2,919,803	12.53%
Other Sources	416,813	2.22%	702,203	3.01%
State	15,686,357	83.36%	16,297,427	69.92%
Federal	575,020	3.06%	3,388,940	14.54%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$18,817,011</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$23,308,373</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

### Supplemental Information:

Property Tax Replacement	\$367,214
Lottery Revenues	\$181,938
Technology Grant	\$170,177

	Total	%	ADA	Rank
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
M & O Instruction	\$11,871,642	63.69%		
M & O Support Programs	6,748,402	36.20%		
M & O Other	20,064	0.11%		
<b>Total M &amp; O</b>	<b>\$18,640,108</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$4,492</b>	<b>67</b>
<b>Total ALL Funds</b>	<b>\$23,343,187</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$5,625</b>	<b>80</b>

### Tax Levies at 9-1-97

	Total	Per ADA	Rank
Property Market Values	\$362,906,510	\$87,451	108
Total M & O Levy	0.005853713		9
Total School Levy	0.008003809		10

## Staff Data 1997-98

District Personnel:	FTE	ADA to FTE	Teachers Salaries:	Rank
Elementary Teachers	115.22	19	Beginning Salary on Schedule	\$19,527
Secondary Teachers	122.85	16	Highest Salary on Schedule	\$40,775
Administrators	17.20	241	Average Elementary Teacher's Salary	\$33,167
Other Certified Staff	18.30	227	Average Secondary Teacher's Salary	\$31,372
<b>Total Certified Staff</b>	<b>273.57</b>	<b>15</b>	Superintendent's Salary	\$77,900
<b>Total Non-Certified Staff</b>	<b>130.77</b>	<b>32</b>		

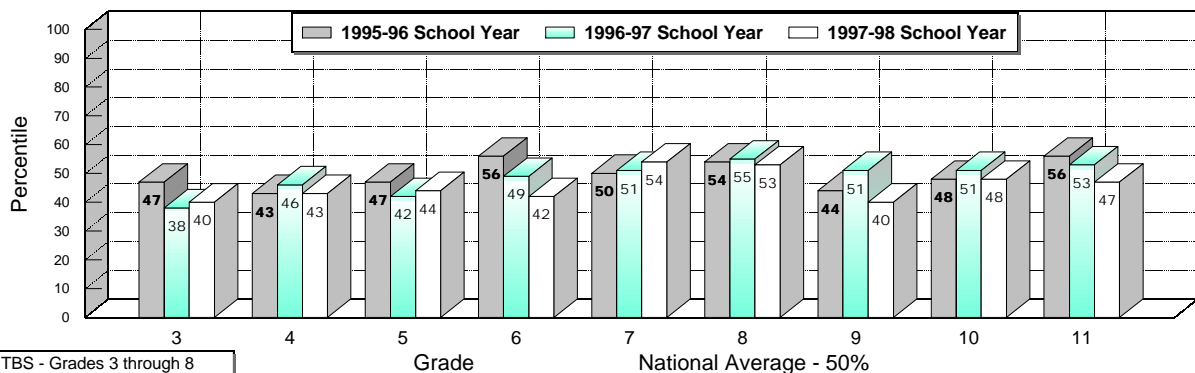
Note: Rank represents how this district compares to the other 111 public school districts in the State of Idaho; high to low (1 being the highest).  
 "Totals" may not sum due to rounding.



## Testing Information 1997-98

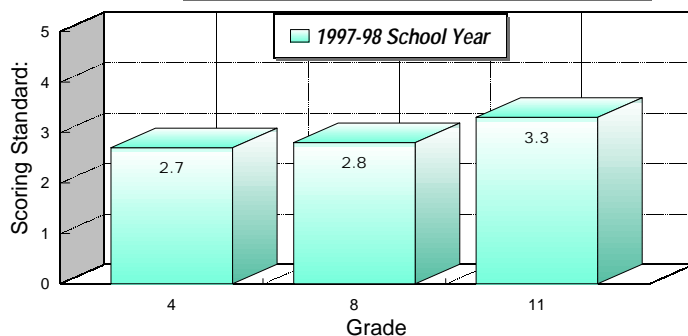
### Standard Testing Results

ITBS and TAP



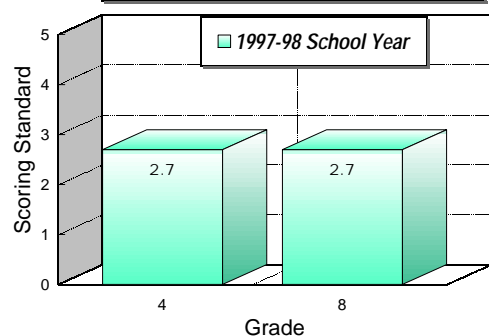
ITBS - Grades 3 through 8  
 TAP - Grades 9 through 11

### Direct Writing Assessment



Scoring Standard: 5 = Advanced, 4 = Proficient, 3 = Satisfactory,  
 2 = Developing, 1 = Minimal

### Direct Math Assessment



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